

ARKANSAS BROADBAND INITIATIVE

Proposed Working Timeline

2015 LAUNCH:

October: Initiative Announced

November: Statewide Broadband Assessment - Where are we currently?

FACT FINDING: 2015-2016

December: Fayetteville / ARE-ON Tour

January: Texarkana

February: Monticello

March: Jonesboro

April: Fiscal Session

May: Little Rock

PLAN DEVELOPMENT:

June – August 2016

FINALIZE POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS:

September – October 2016

Note: Complete prior to the beginning of budget hearings